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Mr. James J. Barry. Commissioner Department of Public Welfare State House Annox Concord. New Hampshire

Dear Mr. Barry:

You have inquired by your letter of

November 16, 1955, whether a parent is a proper payee relative under the aid to dependent children program pursuant to RSA 167:6 (e), where the Department has custody of the minor children and has permitted the children to reside with the parent. In my opinion the answer to this question is yes, as the above cited section only requires that the child be living with one of an enumerated class of relatives which includes the father or mother.

Very truly yours.

Richard C. Duncan Assistant Attorney General

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